

## **PETITION FOR ADOPTION OF ADULT BY** **STEPPARENT**

**THE FOLLOWING FORMS SHOULD BE USED WHEN FILING  
FOR ADOPTION OF AN ADULT BY STEPPARENT**

**12.928 Cover Sheet for Family Court Cases**

**12.900 (h) Notice of Related Cases**

**12.981 (c) (1) Petition for Adoption of Adult by Stepparent**

**12.981 (a) (2) Stepparent Adoption: Consent of Adoptee**

**12.981 (c) (2) Stepparent Adoption: Consent of Adult Adoptee's  
Spouse**

**12.981(b) (2) Final Judgment of Stepparent Adoption**

**\*\*The biological parents must either receive written Notice of the Final Hearing on Adoption or Proof of Service of Process showing Notice has been served. (Ref: Florida Statute 63.062 (8) (b)).**

**The above-referenced forms can be obtained on the Internet at [www.flcourts.org](http://www.flcourts.org) - Self-Help - Family Law Forms or purchased from the Family Law Clerk's office.**

- 1. Prepare paperwork.**
- 2. File with Clerk along with 4 self-addressed stamped envelopes (2 addressed to you and 2 addressed to the other party).**